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SUBJ: LAW OF THE SEA CONFERENCE - JAPANESE QUESTIONS

DURING AUG 29 UN CONSULTATIONS JAPANESE REQUESTED US VIEWS ON MEXICAN PROPOSAL, TABLED AUGUST 24 IN GENEVA, FOR THREE-STAGE PROCEDURE INCLUDING A LOW PRE-CONFERENCE, WHICH COULD HAVE EFFECT OF DELAYING SANTIAGO CONFERENCE. JAPANESE ALSO ASKED FOR OUR REACTION TO IDEA OF APPLYING CONSENSUS PROCEDURE FOR TAKING OF DECISIONS UNTIL AS LATE A STAGE AS POSSIBLE IN LOW DELIBERATIONS, AS MEANS OF PRODUCING BROAD-EST POSSIBLE AREAS OF AGREEMENT. WOULD APPRECIATE GUIDANCE RE OUR RESPONSE IN TIME FOR AUGUST 30 SESSION HERE.

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